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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Tsuyoshi KITAHARA
INK-JET RECORDING HEAD AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE
SAME
Our Ref. Q61721

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including 61 sheets of the specification, claims, and 22 sheet(s) of formal drawings. The executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

Priority is claimed from November 11, 1999, November 18, 1999, January 27, 2000, and September 25, 2000, based on Japanese Application Nos. 1999-321328, 1999-328458, 2000-19135, and 2000-290507 respectively. The priority document(s) will be filed at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	53	-	20	=	33	x	\$18.00	=	\$594.00
Independent claims	8	-	3	=	5	x	\$80.00	=	\$400.00
Base Fee									\$710.00
TOTAL FEE									\$1704.00

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$1704.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,
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